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| In re Patent Application of   | ) MAIL STOP AMENDMENT           |
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| Jean-Marie Bernard et al.   | ) Group Art Unit: 1714          |
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| For: SYNTHESIS OF BIURETS AND ISOCYANATES WITH ALKOXYSILANE FUNCTIONS, FORMULATIONS CONTAINING SAME AND USE THEREOF | )<br>)<br>)<br>)                |

## AMENDMENT ACCOMPANYING REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §1.114

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In connection with Applicants' Request for Continued Examination (RCE), and in response to the Final Office Action dated February 19, 2008, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows: